

# ALGONOT, LLC



Jeffrey R. McCurdy  
941.349.9200  
941.349.9210 Fax  
[jeff@guardsmanwms.com](mailto:jeff@guardsmanwms.com)

## Letter

May 4, 2007

Commissioner for Patents  
POB 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

GAU 1609  
Examiner: Sheridan Macauley

Re: Theoharis C. Theoharides, USSN 10/811,825, filed 03/30/2004

### DECLARATION

Sir:

I am Jeff McCurdy, Vice President of Algonot, LLC, a nutraceutical company doing business at 5053 Ocean Boulevard, Sarasota Florida 34242, U.S.A. It is capitalized at \$ 1,250,000.

Algonot is the licensee of Dr. Theoharides' nutraceutical inventions. In this connection, Algonot is excited about Dr. Theoharides' novel uses of certain of these nutraceutical natural products to coat certain implantable medical devices, such as are listed in the captioned patent application. These coatings will protect adjacent tissues against deleterious interaction with the medical devices and any resultant inflammation.

Dr. Theoharides and Algonot have been in serious negotiations with two American companies, Stryker Orthopaedics and Boston Scientific, which produce and sell implantable medical devices, and who will, under a sublicense arrangement, produce and market the coated devices.

Algonot believes that this novel and nonobvious invention will be a commercial success, and is investing serious time and money to bring this to fruition.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Jeff McCurdy



U.S.S.N. 10/811,828

# CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

The undersigned attorney has deposited the attached documents, in an envelope with prepaid first class postage, with the United States Postal Service on May 16, 2007.

Dr. Melvin Blecher